Draft FPP Change Form

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Proposed by: Bonneville Fisheries

Location of Change

Appendix J. Section 3.g and 3.h

Proposed Change:

Change to read as follows:

- g. Daily sampling shall cease from July 15 through August 31.
 - i. Every other day sampling may occur. The upper switchgate will be the point at which flow will be diverted.
 - ii. Collection size will be reduced to 100 fish.
 - iii. Collected fish will be sampled hourly.
 - iv. Daily sampling may resume when daily average temperatures drop below 69.5°F.
 - v. Project Biologists will use the Corps temperature probe reading as the official temperature.
 - vi. Temperatures are taken in the general holding tank and are both instantaneous readings and 0000 to 2400 daily averages.
- h. If there is a need to sample at temperatures above 70°F, coordination with FPOM will be initiated by the researcher.

Reason for Change:

This would make the issues surrounding temperatures a lot easier to deal with. These dates incorporate the dates when temperatures start to reach 70.0F.

Temperatures would continue to be collected, but there would not be the pressure to get a summary before 0700 within the dates listed.

Bonneville Fisheries believes this will allow for condition sampling and still help protect the fish from stress due to heat and handling.

Comments from others:

Record of Final Action:

There will be two systems in use in 2008. The Project Fisheries will have authority to make a final decision, but they will use both the website and their temperature probe to compare results.